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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2006 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)		Docket Number (Optional) 59756DIV2	
Application Number 10/553,854		Filed October 19, 2005.	
For USE OF GEMINI VITAMIN D3 COMPOUNDS FOR TREATING HYPERTENSION			
Art Unit N/A		Examiner Not Yet Assigned	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

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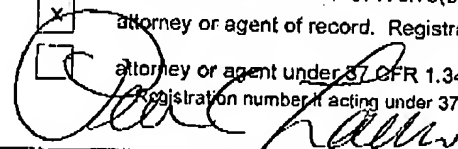
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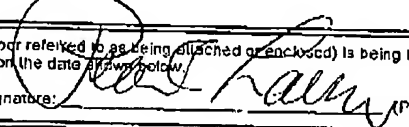
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